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The supplemental plat, showing a subdivision of original lots 2, 3, and 4 of sec. 18, T. 14 N., R. 71 E., Mount Diablo Meridian, Nevada, was accepted September 21, 1999.

This plat was prepared to meet certain administrative needs of Baker Ranches, Inc. and the Bureau of Land Management.

5. The above-listed surveys are now the basic records for describing the lands for all authorized purposes. These surveys have been placed in the open files in the BLM Nevada State Office and are available to the public as a matter of information. Copies of the surveys and related field notes may be furnished to the public upon payment of the appropriate fees.

Dated: September 30, 1999.

David J. Clark,

Chief Cadastral Surveyor, Nevada.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Minerals Management Service

Notice on Outer Continental Shelf Oil and Gas Lease Sales

AGENCY: Minerals Management Service, Interior.

ACTION: List of Restricted Joint Bidders.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to the authority vested in the Director of the Minerals Management Service by the Joint bidding provisions of 30 CFR 256.41, each entity within one of the following groups shall be restricted from bidding with any entity in any other of the following groups at Outer Continental Shelf Oil and gas lease sales to be held during the bidding period from November 1, 1999, through April 30, 2000. The List of Restricted Joint Bidders published March 26, 1999, in the **Federal Register** at 64 FR 14751 covered the period from May 1, 1999, through October 31, 1999.

Group I. Exxon Corporation; Exxon Assets Management Company

Group II. Shell Oil Co.; Shell Offshore Inc.; Shell Western E&P Inc.; Shell Frontier Oil and Gas Inc.; Shell Consolidated Energy Resources Inc.; Shell Land & Energy Company; Shell Onshore Ventures Inc.; Shell Deepwater Production Inc.; Shell Offshore Properties and Capital, II, Inc.

Group III. Mobil Oil Corporation; Mobil Oil Exploration & Producing Southeast Inc.; Mobil Producing

Texas & New Mexico Inc.; Mobil Exploration & Producing North America Inc.; and Mobil Exploration & Producing U.S. Inc.

Group IV. BP Exploration & Oil Inc.; BP Exploration (Alaska) Inc.; and Amoco Production Company

Dated: October 12, 1999.

Walt Rosenbusch,

Director, Minerals Management Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

Wastewater Treatment Project (West Side) Environmental Impact Statement, Glacier National Park, Montana

AGENCY: National Park Service, Department of the Interior.

ACTION: Notice of intent to prepare an environmental impact statement for the Wastewater Treatment Project (West Side), Glacier National Park.

SUMMARY: Under the provisions of the National Environmental Policy Act, the National Park Service is preparing an environmental impact statement for the Lake McDonald/Park Headquarters Wastewater Treatment System Rehabilitation for Glacier National Park. This statement will be approved by the Intermountain Regional Director.

The existing system collects throughout the Lake McDonald/Headquarters area via a series of gravity sewer lines and sewage lift stations and force mains. The existing wastewater treatment facility is comprised of a single cell aerated lagoon, irrigation pond, control building and spray irrigation system. At the wastewater treatment facility, raw wastewater flows to a 4.8 million gallon aerated lagoon where bacteria reduce the biological oxygen demand (BOD) and suspended solids concentration of the wastewater. The treated wastewater flows to an adjacent .5 million gallon irrigation pond where an irrigation pump takes flow from the pond to a 55 acre spray irrigation field, currently located in the 100 year floodplain of McDonald Creek. This project and EIS has been proposed to analyze alternatives for addressing these issues.

The effort will result in a proposed course of action for park managers to address the issues above. A range of alternatives are being considered to improve the existing wastewater treatment facility incorporating different disposal and treatment approaches. A variety of factors will be considered

including an evaluation of site constraints, State of Montana Department of Environmental Quality current standards, available treatment technology, operation and maintenance concerns, wildlife, water quality and vegetation concerns and sustainable design. Several alternatives will look at upgrading and rehabilitating the existing treatment process while continuing to utilize the existing spray irrigation system as the method of disposal. Others will consider removing the existing system from the floodplain. The use of advanced nitrogen removal treatment by utilizing sequencing batch reactors (SBR) prior to discharge to the groundwater through rapid infiltration basins will be considered. Due to the uncertainty of the suitability of the soils for rapid infiltration basins, another alternative will also be considered which is based on discharge of the effluent to the Middle Fork of the Flathead River and would involve construction of a tertiary treatment plant. A no action alternative will also be considered as required.

Major issues include that due to the location of the spray irrigation field, wastewater cannot be discharged during the winter and spring when the ground surface is frozen, saturated or underwater from stream flooding. As a result, the wastewater treatment facility operates as a holding facility during the winter and spring until ground conditions at the spray field allow disposal without runoff to McDonald Creek. In addition, the system needs to be rehabilitated enabling it to operate as it was originally designed to operate.

An open house has been scheduled for October 26 to be held at the Community Building in West Glacier from 3:00 pm to 7:00 pm.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Superintendent, Glacier National Park, 406/888-7901.

Dated: October 8, 1999.

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Acting Regional Director, Intermountain Region.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

National Park Service

Missouri National Recreational River (59-mile District) Availability of Final Environmental Impact Statement and General Management Plan.

AGENCY: National Park Service, Interior.